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MAUÁ BANK

CALLE CANGALLO, Nos. 101—103.

INTEREST FOR CURRENT MONTH.

IN ACCOUNT CURRENT, SPECIE.
For balances in our favour, ... 12 per cent.
For balances in favour of Customers, ... 7 " "

IN ACCOUNT CURRENT, PAPER MONEY.
For balances in our favour, ... 12 per cent.
For balances in favour of Customers ... 7 " "
Deposits for a fixed term in specie or currency, at conventional interest.

P. P. MAUA & Co.,
WILLIAM LESLIE.

MAUA BANK,

CALLE CANGALLO, Nos 101—103

The Offices of this Bank having been removed to the above spacious building, in order to suit the increasing flow of business, the public is informed that the following transactions are carried on in currency and specie in this Bank:—

First—Bills and obligations with good signatures are discounted on conventional terms.

Second—Money is advanced on mercantile and other securities approved of by the Manager.

Third—Accounts current are opened with Merchants or other parties who may prefer depositing endorsed and transferable securities, against which they may draw up to an amount previously convened under conditions established for such class of operations.

Fourth—Money is received in account current, bearing interest from day of deposit, which is accumulated in favor of the parties every three months, the depositors being allowed to retire at any time, by means of cheques, part or the full amount at their wish, save when the quantity exceeds three hundred doubloons or one hundred thousand dollars currency, in which case forty-eight hours' previous notice is required to be given at the Treasury of the Bank.

Fifth—Bills or letters of credit are drawn and taken on Montevideo, Rosario, Sta. Fé, Salto Oriental, Paysandu, Rio Janeiro, and other places in the Brazils, England and France, as also on other places, of which notice will be given hereafter.

Finally, the Bank undertakes and executes all legitimate transactions within the orbit of banking operations.

The establishment is always open from 9 a.m. till 4 p.m.

P. P. MAUA & Co.
WILLIAM LESLIE.

MONEY ORDERS.

Drafts on IRELAND are granted by the undersigned, payable on demand at any of the Fifty-two branches of the

NATIONAL BANK.

Drafts are also granted on
Messrs. PRESCOTT, GROTE, and Co., Bankers, LONDON;
and on J. BARNED and Co., Banker, LIVERPOOL.
Timely application should be made at the Office of Mr. Wilson Jacobs, Exchange Broker, No. 65 Calle San Martin (opposite the Bolsa).

THOMAS B HALL.

DRAFTS AT SIGHT

ON THE

UNION BANK OF IRELAND

ISSUED BY THE

London, Buenos Ayres, and River Plate Bank.

CALLE DE LA PIEDAD, No. 80.

IRELAND.

Drafts payable at any of the undermentioned branches of
THE NATIONAL BANK
Can be obtained from
WANKLYN AND CO.,
No. 98 CALLE SAN MARTIN.

Athlone	Enniscorthy	Mitchelstown
Athy	Fermoy	Moate
Ballina	Galway	Mountmellick
Balinasloe	Kanturk	Mullingar
Boyle	Kells	Nenagh
Carlow	Kilkenny	Newcastle
Carrickmacross	Killarney	County Limerick
Carrick-on-suir	Kilrush	New Ross
Cashel	Kingstown	Rathkeale
Castlerea	Limerick	Roscommon
Charleville	Lismore	Roscrea
Clonakilty	Listowel	Thurles
Clonmel	Longford	Tipperary
Cork	Loughrea	Tralee
Dublin	Macroom	Tuam
Dungarvan	Mallow	Waterford
Ennis	Middleton	Wexford
		Wicklow

Briton & Medical General (Incorporated with the Unity General) Life Assurance Association

Chief Offices—WEST STRAND, LONDON, W.C.

Capital—3,000,000*l. Sterling*

Propositions for Life Assurances are received, and immediate attention paid to the same. A Prospectus of rates and other particulars will be furnished on application to the Company's Agent in this City.

GEORGE WILKS,
7 Calle Mayo.

The Argentine Marine Insurance Company

Established in this City, insure at moderate premiums all risks by sea or on the river.

Office—Calle Reconquista, 83.

DIRECTORS.

Sor. Don Tomas Armstrong, President.
" Enrique Ochoa, Vice-President.
" Felipe Llavallol.
" Eduardo Lumb.
" Ambrosio P. Lezica.
" Enrique Tomkinson.
" Mariano Casares.
" Francisco F. Moreno, Gerente.

Sheep—Sheep—Sheep.

The undersigned offers his services in buying or selling Sheep, to transport them to any part of the Provinces or Banda Oriental. He has always on hand, for sale, Sheep of the very best class: Rams, both Negrette and Ramboullets. Applications at his house, Calle Chile, No. 188, will be promptly attended to. Charges moderate.

JAMES M'BRITTAIN.

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Washington.

To aid the Sanitary Commission of the United States of North America, and the Relief Fund of the wounded Prussian and Austrian Soldiers, I intend to sell Photographic Views of the City of Washington, &c., large and small, the benefit of which equally divided.

C. ROEVER,
Calle San Martin, No. 19.

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ALE AND PORTER.

Superior London Stout in quarts and pints.
Superior Double Extra Stout in do do.
Superior Allsopp's Strong Ale in quarts.
Superior Pale Ale (variety of brands) in quarts and pints.
Superior strong Draught Ale in hogsheads.
Superior Pale do do in do.
" Bitter do do in barrels.
" Burton do do in kilderkins.
A cask of Allos Ale always on tap at Nuttall's Store,
No. 92 CALLE 25 MAYO. a 18 x m

Waggons

For moving chattels, receiving commissions of all kind of moving, arming and disarming chattels.

Apply at the German Carpentery, Calle San Martin, No. 320; or at Fabric of Carriages, Calle Bolivar, Nos. 152 and 154. 1 m j 27

London, Buenos Ayres, and River Plate Bank.

(Limited.)

80—CALLE DE LA PIEDAD—80.

Capital—1,000,000*l Sterling,*

The rates of Interest from 1st July, 1864, until further notice, will be as follows, both for Specie and Currency:—

In Account Current.

Allowed ... ... 6 per cent.
Charged ... ... 12 "

Fixed Deposits.

For ninety days ... 7 per cent.

On Deposits subject to thirty days' notice of withdrawal, interest will be allowed at the rate of one per cent. per annum more than the rate for ninety days fixed deposits, rising and falling therewith, the Bank notifying any change in the rate by advertisement in the usual papers.

From the 1st July, 1864, till further announcement, the rate for this class of deposits will be 8 per cent. per annum.

J. H. GREEN, Manager.

Royal Insurance Company.

FIRE AND LIFE.

CAPITAL TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

This important company, in many respects the greatest of its kind in the present age, has appointed an agency in this city. The head-offices are in London and Liverpool with branches in Dublin, Edinburgh, Glasgow, Manchester, Bristol, Birmingham, Sheffield, Leeds, Newcastle, Southampton, Montreal, Toronto and other cities.

The ROYAL is remarkable; for the promptitude and liberality of its settlements: for the largest life bonuses (£2 per cent per annum) ever continuously declared during 15 years by any Co.; for the enormous extent of its transactions, showing £'03 000 in new life assurances for 1862, and a Fire revenue of £300,000 per annum; for its security, which has given rise to the proverb "as safe as the Royal;" for the accumulated funds in hand, over one million sterling; for its annual income, over half-a-million sterling; and for the correct calculation of its mortality tables. Hence the English press of all countries including over 90 leading papers, speaks in the highest terms of this company.

The report for 1862 shews that "all the property of the Co. amounting to £846,070 is real and substantial property:" the amount now exceeds one million sterling. The increase, during 11 years, on Fire business was 900 per cent, and on Life 1350 per cent.

MESSRS. H. A. GREEN AND Co. are authorised to issue policies for Fire and Life to a very large amount, at moderate premiums, the Co. being anxious to extend its foreign business, which already shows an annual revenue of £200,000. Life claims can be settled without reference to England. For further particulars please apply to

HENRY A. GREEN AND Co., Ship-brokers,
85 CALLE RECONQUISTA.

NOTE—Prospectuses and illuminated almanacs may be had on application at the Office. X. J.

Steam-boat Agency

And General Commissions,
WILLIAM MATTI & CO.,
30—Cangallo—30.

FOR MONTEVIDEO,
The National Steamer
CORRIENTES
Will leave every Monday and Friday, and returns every Sunday and Wednesday.

FOR ROSARIO,
Calling at Zarate, Baradero, San Pedro, Obligado, Las Hermanas, and San Nicolas—voyage by the Parana de las Palmas taking Cargo and Passengers—the Nat. Steamer
PACON,
Captain Price,
Leaves every Thursday and Sunday at Twelve o'Clock Noon, and returns every Wednesday and Saturday.

FOR GUALEGUAY,
The National Steamer
DOLORCITAS,
Leaves the "Boca de las Nueve Vueltas" every Friday after the arrival of the Pavon, and returns every Tuesday, by which the Passengers leave here every Thursday and return every Wednesday.

FOR THE PARANA,
Santa Fe, and intermediate Ports, the Mail Steamer
ESPIGADOR,
Leaves Rosario each Friday, two hours after the arrival of the Pavon, and returns every Tuesday in time to hand over Passengers' luggage to the Pavon, which leaves for Buenos Ayres.

FOR CORRIENTES.
Calling at Parana, La Paz, Cassilla de la Esquina, Casilla de Goya, Bella Vista, and Empedrado, the British Steamer
ESMERALDA,
Leaves Rosario in combination with the Pavon, on Tuesday, August 30th, and returns on Friday, 9th September.

FARES.

	Pats.		Pats
Montevideo (cabin).....	8	Santa Fe, do. }	24
Zarate.....	4	Parana, do }	
San Pedro, do.....	8	La Paz, do.....	32
Obligado, do.....	10	La Esquina, do.....	36
San Nicolas, do.....	12	Gora, do.....	40
Gualeguay, do.....	16	Bella Vista, do.....	44
Rosario, do.....	16	Empedrado, do.....	48
San Lorenzo, do.....	18	Corrientes, do.....	52
Diamante, do.....	20		

Deck Half Price.

FREIGHTS.

	Dols.		Dols.
Montevideo, per ton...	4	Parana }	
Rosario.....	6	La Paz }	
San Nicolas.....	6	Bella Vista }	10
Corrientes.....	12	La Esquina }	
The Uruguay Ports.....	10	Goya }	

FOR CUYABA,
Calling at San Nicolas, Rosario, Parana, Corrientes, Asuncion, and other Brazilian ports, the Brazilian Steamer
MARQUES DE OLINDA,
Captain Hipolito de S Betincourt, leaves on 18th Sept.

FARES.

	Pats.		Pats.
San Nicolas.....	16	Corrientes.....	60
Rosario	20	Asuncion.....	80
Parana.....	28	Corumba.....	132

No passengers allowed on any of the steamers without tickets.

La Zingara und Istria.

All Parties indebted for passage money to the above-mentioned ships are requested to call at my Office and pay their passage, within two months from this, otherwise a special order will be given by Government to the different Justices of Peace to remit into Buenos Ayres all defaulters.

G. WILKS
No. 7 Calle Mayo.

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American Dentist.

Dr. N. O. CORNWALL,
Calle Rivadavia, 275.

ARTIFICIAL TEETH

Inserted in the neatest and most approved manner, so as to have a beautiful life-like appearance, cause no irritation in the mouth, and serve all the uses of the natural organs.

Tooth-ache promptly relieved and radically cured.

Teeth filled with gold or metallic cements, so as to last for years or for life. Tartar cleaned off teeth, and roots extracted, and all operations performed with the least possible pain.

British Hotel,

96—PIEDAD—98.

Monthly Board, Five Hundred Dollars.

Breakfasts from Half-past Seven till Twelve o'Clock.

Dinners from Four to seven.

Tea and Suppers, either warm or cold, from Eight to Twelve at night.

Game and Poultry are always to be found ready within ten minutes when called for.

Dinners supplied to any part of the town at moderate prices. j 22 40 p

LA PREVISORA ARGENTINA.

Life Assurance and Saving Fund Association.

FOR THE CREATION OF CAPITALS, LIFE ANNUITIES, INHERITANCES, &c.

Approved by Government and founded in accordance with Law.

Capital subscribed up to June 30th, 1864—
In hard dollars, ... 229,142 dols.
In paper currency ... 370,000 "

Inversion of Fund.

Purchase of the House Nos. 214, 216, and 218 Calle Corrientes.

DIRECTORS.

D. Miguel Azcuenaga, President.
" Bernabé Ocampo, Vice President.
" Antonio Marco del Pont.
" Jacobo Paravicini.
" Constant Santamaria.

MANAGING COMMITTEE.

D. Estanislao Pena.
" J. A. Fernandez.
" L. B. Wilcke.
" Mariano Billinghurst.
" Ladislao F. Martinez.

GERENTE—D. JUAN CASADO; Domicilio, Buenos Ayres.

BANKERS—The Casa de Moneda; Domicile, Buenos Ayres.

This Society has for its sole object to render fruitful the savings of all classes.

By the agglomeration of small sums, capitals are created for the purchase of real estated property within the municipal bounds of the city.

Subscriptions are received with or without loss of capital

With loss of capital gives a right:

1st. To compound interest on such capital.

2nd. To a proportionate share in the capital, interest and premiums of those who die in the respective section.

3rd. To a proportion of the interest and premium of all who may forfeit their shares.

4th. To a proportion in the gains from investment of capital.

Without loss of capital gives a right:

1st. To compound interest on such capital.

2nd. To a proportion of the interest and premium on those who die

3rd. To a proportion of the interest and premium of forfeited shares.

4th. To a proportion of gains from investment of capital.

Capitals with Compound Interest.

Deposits for the creation of capitals will be received, to be returned at any given period.

Paper Money Section.

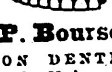
The currency of Buenos Ayres received on the same conditions as specie.

Life Annuities.

Capitals received to be paid out in life annuities.

Subscriptions to any of the sections, whether specie or currency may be made in bulk, or monthly, quarterly, half-yearly, or yearly.

For further particulars apply at the Office,
x No. 67 CALLE SAN MARTIN (Altos).



Dr. P. Bourse,

SURGEON DENTIST,
Of New York,

Has removed his Office to the New Building, No. 200 CALLE 25 DE MAYO, MONTEVIDEO. The beautiful suit of rooms are fitted up in the most modern style, affording great facilities for Dental operations, combining excellent light with facility for privacy and comfort. He has recently received an addition of the most modern and approved instruments with monthly information by each European Packet of the latest and most important improvements in Dental Science. Also, by the latest improved gas fixtures, can always afford relief to those suffering from Toothache, at night as well as in the daytime.

Montevideo, May 8, 1864. x

Gualeguaychu Steam Navigation Company.

Ports of the Uruguay.

'ERA.'

This beautiful new Steamer will leave this for the above Ports every Monday at One o'Clock in the afternoon.

This is a most desirable convenience for Persons going to Gualeguaychu, who are landed there without the inconvenience of being transshipped to other vessels in Fray Bentos.

FARES.

	CABIN. Pats.	STEERAGE. Pats.
Higueritas	6	3
Fray Bentos.	8	4
Gualeguaychu	9	4½
Concepcion	10	5
Paysandu	12	6
Concordia	18	9
Salto	18	9

Parcels will be received at the Agency, 1 Calle Cuyo, up to Nine o'Clock, and Specie up to Eleven o'Clock in the morning of the day of sailing.

For further particulars apply at the Agency, Calle de Cuyo, No. 1.

HENRY DOWSE.

British Steamer 'FAIRY,'

This fine, fast-sailing, beautiful Steamer will leave this for the Ports of the Uruguay every TUESDAY, at Twelve a.m., and every SATURDAY, at Half-past Four in the Afternoon,

FOR MONTEVIDEO.

TARIFA.

	Pats.	
Montevideo	8	
Martin Garcia	4	
Higueritas	6	
Fray Bentos	8	Steerage, Half Price.
Concepcion del Uruguay	10	
Roman	10	
Paysandu	12	
Concordia, Salto ...	18	

Metallic—Gold, ½ per cent.; silver, ½ per cent.

Freights—10 pats. per ton of 40 feet, or 10 arrobes

No Passengers allowed on board without their corresponding ticket from the Agency; otherwise they will have to pay one patacon extra.

Parcels received in the Agency up to Sunset the day previous to leaving, and Specie up to Eleven o'Clock the day of sailing.

Agency Calle Cuyo, No. 1.

HENRY DOWSE

Important to Sheep Farmers.

The undersigned begs to notify all Persons interested in wool-growing, that he has just received a fresh supply of that celebrated and popular remedy, the SOUTH DOWN SHEEP WASH, the only safe and effectual cure for the Scab in Sheep ever used in this country.

The immense demand for this article last year by all the principal Estancieros, native and foreign, is sufficient recommendation of its efficacy.

The exportation from the United States to Australia alone amounted last year to twenty-five thousand pounds.

No true Sheep Farmer will be without this important remedy, which will ensure him long and full fleeces.

For sale, wholesale and retail, at the General Agency, No. 97 Calle Defensa.

Messrs. Barry and Walker's, No. 97 Calle Defensa.

CHAS. S. ROWERS, Sole Agent.

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NOTICE.

We beg to advise the Public, and our Friends in particular, that we have been appointed, by letter from Messrs. Arthur Guinness, Son, and Co., Dublin (copy of which we annex) sole Agents in Buenos Ayres for the sale of their celebrated Extra Stout.

BARRY & WALKER,
97 Calle Defensa.

(COPY.)

"James's Gate Brewery, Dublin, 6th May, 1864.

"We have appointed Messrs. Barry and Walker sole Agents for the sale of our Porter in Buenos Ayres.

1 m a 2 (Signed) "ARTHUR GUINNESS, Son, & Co."

WANTED.

SITUATION—A young man, (German), who speaks English fluently, writes a good hand, and is quick at figures, wishes a situation in a mercantile business where he can make himself generally useful. Address P. P., Standard office. 3p, A25.

WELLS BECKHAUS & Co.,

Wool-Brokers, 173 Calle de las Piedras,
W&D, A25

ROBERTSON'S WORKS.

Wanted by G. and H. Mackern a copy of the Letters on Paraguay and Francia's Reign of Terror, by the brothers Robertson. Apply at 24 Calle Martin. a 25, 3 p

ESTANCIA BOOK-KEEPER

Required immediately for the Banda Oriental; applicant must speak Spanish. Apply at L. J. Isaac's, No. 12 Calle Maypú. a 25, 3 p

WANTED.

An active Boy. Apply 61, Corrientes. A24. 3p.

TO LET.

Apartments, furnished or unfurnished, with an English family having no children. 134 Calle Chile. 1m, A13.

AUCTION SALE.

THE REMEDIOS ESTANCIA will be sold at Auction at Thomas Gowland's rooms on the 31st inst., at 12 o'clock. It will be divided in two lots:

1st. The principal Estancia of 2,343 cuadras, its houses, fences, corrales, montes, galpones, etc.

2d. The Southern portion of the land known as the Rambouillet department, containing 527 cuadras of land and all the premises, fences, corrales, alfalfares, etc., etc. Plans can be had at the auctioneer's, as also printed catalogues showing all the particulars.

1m, A10, w&d

ONE PER CENT. MONTHLY.

The house, No. 265 Calle Uruguay, distant three squares from the Plazas Parque and Libertad, will be sold for 50,000$. It has 4 good rooms, papered, well, kitchen, and out-offices. The house next door, exactly the same, was sold before finished at the same price. Apply No. 23 Calle Cangallo, to D. Evaristo Pineda, before 11 or after 5 o'clock. 6p, A21

HOTEL HARMONIA,

124—CALLE 25 DE MAYO—124.

GERMAN AND ENGLISH COOKERY.

Breakfast from Eight till Twelve o'Clock.

Dinner from Four to Six.

Suppers from Seven till Twelve at night.

Every Sunday Mock-turtle Soup.

Lodging and board monthly, $800.

Board, $500.

Served in extra dining-rooms, $600.

LEON LOMSJSORD, Landlord.

A24. 6p.

For Sale.

The yellow house situated at the entrance of the Boca road, with a piece of land adjoining it. For further particulars apply at the quiata next Mr. Billinghurst's tile yard at any hour.

DISTRIBUIDORES

Se necesitan en esta Imprenta.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY,

A Good General Servant for a small English family. A preference given to a girl who speaks Spanish and English.

Apply at Calle las Piedras, No. 253.

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ALBUM ARGENTINA,

Containing 12 Views of the principal parts of the City and Public Buildings, for Sale at Mr. Morta's Library, in front of the College Church. a 26 3 p

SPRING NOVELTIES.

On Monday, 29th inst., a choice and beautiful variety of the newest materials for Ladies' Dresses, will be ready for inspection at the

English Drapery Establishment,

61—CORRIENTES—61.

a24, 12p

TO BARRAQUEROS AND OTHERS.

A young Man, of good standing, seeks employment in a first-rate house or barraca, as Clerk. Apply to No. 80, Calle Cangallo. A24. 15p.

NOTICE,

Is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between Edward Zimmermann, John Fair, James Fair, John B. Wanklyn, Charles F. Zimmermann, and Peter B. Moller, as merchants and commissiour agents in Buenos Ayres and Montevideo, under the firm of Zimmermann, Fairs and Co., and in London under the firm of John Fair and Co. was dissolved on the 30th June last, so far as regards the said John Bradshaw Wanklyn the younger, who has retired from the concern, which will hereafter be continued by the remaining partners under the same firms.

Buenos Ayres and Montevideo,
17th August, 1864.
ZIMMERMANN, FAIRS & CO.
a 24, 9 p.

SHEARS AND TWINE.

Sorby's celebrated Shears, polished and unpolished.

First-class tying twine and Swedish tar.

Also sound canvass bagging.

HIBERNIAN-HOUSE,
64, 66, and 68, PIEDAD.
A24. 6p.

ALFALFA SEED.

Buenos Ayrean and Provincial.
HIBERNIAN HOUSE,
64, 66, and 68, PIEDAD.
A24. 3p.

DIEHL, FERNAU & CO.,

En liquidacion Los Acreedores se serviran pasar á la casa de los Srs. Altgelt, Ferber, and Co., para recibir el último dividendo desde 1 de Setiembre p.p. A24. 3p.

WANTED

A comfortable House with five or six rooms, not distant more than eight squares from the Plaza. Apply at this office 'Americus.' 6 p a 24

NOTICE.

The undersigned gives notice that a school recently opened under the name of Anglo Porteño has no connection whatever with the old established school of that name. The Colegio Anglo Porteño is still conducted at Maipu, No. 205, where it will remain. There are accommodations for a few more pupils of both day scholars and boarders.

ANN S. SMITH.

a 24, 6 p

WANTED IMMEDIATELY,

A Servant Girl in a small family, where but little work is required. One who speaks English and Spanish preferred. Apply at No. 339 Calle Peru.

a 34, 3 p

WANTS A SITUATION.

A young man seeks a situation in an English house in the wholesale or retail grocery, provision or hardware business, having a thorough knowledge of the wool, hide, skin and leather trade; can keep books or assist most satisfactorily; and first class reference in this city can be given. Apply 25 and 27 Defensa, for J. K. L. a 24, 6 p

WANTED.

A female Cook for a small family. Apply 285, San Martin. 3p. A. 24.

ENGLISH BOOT & SHOE WAREHOUSE,

CALLE DEFENSA, No. 17.

M. M'HUGH begs to inform his numerous friends and customers that he has just received, per English packet, a splendid assortment of Gentlemen's Elastic Boots by the celebrated Parisian manufacturer M. Melie's, which for material and workmanship are unequalled, and which can be offered to the public at very moderate prices.

Also on hand a great variety of Ladies' and Children's Boots and Shoes of first-class materials and workmanship. Gentlemen's Boots of every description made to order, a perfect fit guaranteed.

N.B.—Observe the address, No. 17.

a22 1m.

MR. BAYNTUN

Begs to announce to his Friends and the Public that the Musical and Dramatic Recital will positively take place on Monday Evening next, at Half-past Eight, in the Salon of the Calle Peru, No. 290.

Tickets to be had at Mackern's Library, Foreign Club, and Cranwell's Chemist, Calle de la Reconquista.

a 26, 3 p

Subscription to the "Standard"
$ 30 PER MONTH.
ADVERTISEMENTS
Not exceeding five lines inserted three times for $ 5.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

No notice can be taken of anonymous communications. Whatever is intended for insertion must be authenticated by the name and address of the writer; not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.

The Standard.

"Nil falsi audeam, nil veri non audeam dicere."—*Cicero.*

SATURDAY, AUGUST 27, 1864.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

The shop-keepers in Paseo Julio and the house-holders in the Boca are preparing for Santa Rosa. Life-preservers, &c., are in the greatest demand, and heavy wagers are made as to the longevity of the Boca and Northern R. R.

The departure of Consul Phibbs in the packet was the event of the day. A man so universally liked and esteemed it is hard to find. He was escorted to the Muelle by numerous friends. In the name of the foreign residents in this country we tender to our distinguished fellow countryman a kind farewell. This country owes much of its prosperity to the untiring efforts of Samuel R. Phibbs. Few have better opportunity of knowing this than ourself. We cannot allow his departure to go unnoticed. If President Mitre had at his disposal honors to confer he could not find a worthier object than our indefatigable Liverpool Consul.

The Western Railway time-table, we hear in all the newspapers, is wrong, and the Manager of the Railway is too busy to correct it. — How scandalous.

Mr. Le Long's letter in the "Tribuna of yesterday, is decidedly the best this gentleman has yet written. We have no doubt that it will increase the present immigration to this port very considerably.

Samples of the Catamarcan gold ore are on exhibition at the 'Standard' office. We invite our friends to inspect them.

The people in the town of Giles have subscribed for the erection of national schools, and a petition has been laid before Government, praying for a donation. It is, we think, high time that in so populous a town as Giles, public schools should be erected.

By our exchanges in San Nicolas, we learn that there is a great uproar in that town. The juez de paz has issued an order to the serenos to arrest all persons who are found walking in the streets at night time, and to search them to see if they carry arms. The butchers are also in a sad state of affliction, owing to a large troop of cattle having broken through the corral and escaped at night time.

The murderers of Don Victor Gomez, in Entre Rios, have at last been arrested, and will shortly be placed on trial.

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Deputy Moreno has presented a project to Congress for the creation of an Argentine legation in Rio Janeyro. We consider the measure very unnecessary, and the country too poor at present for such a luxury.

The latest news we have from Entre Rios is, that more gold has been discovered in Gualeguaychu. We hope some of our subscribers in that quarter will send us some samples.

The public road, from the province of Jujuy to Salto, is now nearly finished: in the latter province, a new election for a Governor was about to take place; and, we are happy to say, that there is every prospect of its passing off peaceably.

The little town of Belgrano has been plunged into the greatest excitement by the dispute going on between Mr. Ardoy and Mr. Oliver. The latter gentleman, who is the judge of the town, states that Ardoy is a 'caballero de industria,' and that the high social position which he held was that of servant to Dr. Lahitte, and cook to Mr. Capdeville, and that he was taken prisoner in the month of February for swindling. The judge states that he sent Ardoy into town to be tried by the criminal judge. Ardoy charges Oliver with breaking his arm and illegally arresting him.

The auction sale of Mr. Brittain's quinta, at the foot of Calle Defensa, went off very well. The greater part of the property was bought in by a distinguished English broker.

A magnificent ball is to be given on the 7th of next month, at the Solis Theatre, at Montevideo. Many families in Buenos Ayres have received invitations to attend.

The Brazilian Minister, Sr. Saraiva, will leave for Rio Janeyro in the Mersey on the 27th. inst. We have not heard whether he intends returning or not.

The rumour about Aparicio's having had his head cut open by some of his soldiers, who had mutinied as he was leaving Montevideo, seems to be altogether false, as by latest advices, Laguna and Aparicio have cut up the rebels terribly at Porongos.

Colonel Telmo Lopez has just returned to Salto, B. O., having had an interview with Urquiza, which many think will lead to very important results.

Gen. Garzon repels in the 'Reforma Pacifica' the attack recently published in the 'Tribuna,' and states that he sent his refutation to the 'Nacion Argentina,' which refused to publish it; he was therefore obliged to send it to Montevideo.

There is not the slightest probability of Congress being able to terminate all the business which it has on hand within the specified time by law; the consequence is that the President will be obliged to extend the period as he did last year. The budget has yet to be discussed and the Custom House law. These two questions alone will probably keep our legislators busy until next Christmas.

The new market at the Retiro has at last been begun in good earnest. It will be a great convenience to the residents in that neighborhood.

The contract entered into by the Government of Cordova with Mr. John Duguid has been laid before the Legislature for approval. The capital of the proposed bank is to be two and a half millions dollars, divided into shares of five hundred silver dollars each. One thousand shares are to be reserved for subscribers in this country; and if not taken in two months the company is to take them.

Sr. Frias, who represents the Mana Bank of Rosario, has also presented a project to the Government for the opening of a branch in Cordova. The matter has also been submitted to the Legislature, and it is thought both projects will pass. It is said that some English houses in Buenos Ayres are about to open branch houses in Cordova. Verily the Argentine Central Railroad has caused a revolution in this country.

Sr. Gutierrez's speech in Congress the other day on the army question has caused profound attention, even amongst the deputies. Sr. G. openly asserts that in consequence of the repeated attacks on the army it has fallen off within the last two months from 6,000 to 4,000 men.

Dr. Brougnes' claim has at last been passed We felicitate this victimized gentleman upon his success at last.

The funeral of the Chevalier Arango took place yesterday, from the Grand Hotel de La Paix, his nephew D. Odon Trelles acting as chief mourner. The Spanish Consul takes charge of his property which is estimated at £70,000 sterling. Deceased was a native of Spain and commenced life in a very humble position in the house of Carranza and Co. of this city: he realized his large fortune in Rio Janeyro, and has of late resided here, earning the reputation of a *bon vivant*. The attack was so sudden that he died with his white gloves on, within an hour after leaving the opera.

The 'Tribuna' states that the statue for General Urquiza, ordered from Europe, to be erected at Concepcion, was embargoed on arrival at Montevideo for the cost of freight. This is a most unworthy sarcasm against the man who subscribed £20,000 for the Cordoba railway.

The French Consul has left town for Dolores, in reference to the poor Basques who have been murdered. The Government is quite silent on the outrageous effort to swindle these laborious simple people, but the matter will not end here, if the guilty parties be screened from punishment.

There was a rumor yesterday that a young man, who was going to England by the packet, got drowned in going to the 'Mersey' which lay in the outer roads. We have learned that it is utterly false but there is some talk of a passenger and sailor, belonging to a ship in port, having been drowned on Thursday.

The weather looks threatening, and we shall probably have the periodical Sta Rosa storm within a few days, which may interfere with Mr. Baynton's English soirée on Monday evening.

Tuesday being the feast of Sta Rosa, patroness of this continent, will be a strict holiday.

In our advertising columns are two or three auctions to come off to-morrow and Monday. Those who want a town residence, country-seat &c. should not miss the chance. The Remedios estancia will positively be sold for whatever it may fetch, on Wednesday at Mr. Gowland's rooms: see inventory.

We call attention to the item of 32 boxes of bar silver sent per "Mersey" to England. It comes from the gold and silver mines of Catamarca, belonging to Messrs. Lafone, Molina & Carranzu. The last named gentleman informs us that the ore is sold in England at £285 per ton.

Capt. Curlewis expects to be here again by Sept. 13th. He takes few passengers this time. We wish the "Mersey" a pleasant voyage.

A christening took place at the English Church on Thursday morning: we have not been favored with the usual notice. Here we would remind our readers that such notices are gratis, and yet for the want of one, large properties are sometimes lost, as one of our Anglo-Porteño friends can unfortunately prove.

THE PARAGUAY MAILS.

The "Igurey" steamer arrived yesterday with the "Semanario" of the 20th. D. Nicolas Vasquez, an experienced diplomatist, died on the 17th, after a tedious illness. Deceased had figured in the political history of Paraguay for nearly a quarter of a century. He was born under the Spanish colonial regime, and passed the best years of his life in Francia's reign of terror, when all the schools were closed, and he contrived to improve himself by assiduous self-instruction. The first President (Carlos Antonio Lopez) chose him for several offices of public trust, and in 1856 he was promoted from the bench of Civil Judge to the post of Minister of Foreign affairs. He held this important office during the rupture with England and the United States relative to the claims of Messrs. Canstat and Hopkins. He signed, as Plenipotentiary, the treaties with the Argentine Republic and the United States, and subsequently retired into private life. At the last Congress he was elected Vice-President of that body, and the subscribers for a testimonial to the late President chose him their chairman.

The rejoicings for the President's birthday have been on an unusual scale of magnificence, and universal throughout the republic, during the 23rd and 24th of July. In Villa Pilar there were processions, *Te Deum*, fireworks, serenades, bull-fights, races and banquets, besides amateur theatricals on both nights. At Areguá there was a grand *fete champetre* on the picturesque banks of Lake Ypacarai, at which the Montevidean Minister (Dr. Sagastume) and a number of foreign residents assisted. Similar rejoicings are mentioned at Pirayú, Salvador, Sta Teresa, Loreto, Concepcion, &c. Several banquets were given at Asuncion by the ministerial, judicial, military, foreign, and artesan bodies, at most of which the President attended.

The festival of the Assumption (15th of August), being that of the capital, was celebrated with religious solemnities, Bishop Palacios presiding.

An Italian named Vicente Revorati died at Villa Rica on the 2nd of July, intestate, leaving a natural child which he adopted.

The agricultural reports are highly favorable, and it is intended to take measures in cotton-planting next season to prevent the loss of the crop which happened this year.

Dr. Sagastume states that he has met with the most earnest sympathy from President Lopez for the welfare of the Oriental Republic. Dr. Carreras is also in Asuncion.

THE GERMAN CONCERT IN MONTEVIDEO.

On the evening of Monday, 22d of August, at eight o'clock, the German Concert, preparations for which had been made long since, took place. The aristocracy of the town had been invited, and great hopes were entertained of this evening, the more so, as the winter season had been very poor in artistic performances, and extraordinary preparations had been heard to have been made by the undertakers for the occasion.

Soon after seven o'clock, coaches and pedestrians were already crowded into the Plaza before the elegant Solis Theatre. The sight of the interior of the place offered to the visitors a magnificent view. The floor of the theatre had been raised, so that the stage and pit being on the same level, formed only one large saloon. On the stage, shut off by a 'coulisse,' representing an elegant saloon, a scaffolding was built for the singers. A staircase conducted to this place, on both sides of which stood two colossal statues, holding gaslights; between these statues were placed blooming plants, arranged pyramidally. This scaffolding, as well as the whole floor of the theatre, was covered with a uniformly red carpet, which gave to the whole a splendid effect; while from the middle entrance of the pit a broad passage led to the above-named scaffolding: to the right and left of it, up to the proscenium arm-chairs were arranged, on which, conducted by the gentlemen of the committee, an elegant assemblage of ladies, in splendid dresses, took their seats. The boxes were left for the gentlemen, in which appeared many officers, principally English, in their brilliant uniforms, and the civil gentlemen in ball dresses. At eight o'clock the house was crowded, and the concert began.

Fourteen pieces were performed, of which principally the chorus for them, sung by the members of the German Sing Club, "Ferohsinn," was generally applauded for its manly and elegant execution. Two choruses were sung by about 20 boys of the German school—a few amongst them were Spanish—with great ease and feeling. These choruses were interrupted by two brilliant pieces, which Miss Tomkinson, who was kind enough to offer her co-operation for this evening, executed, in a masterly manner, on the the piano, without using any music book. The whole finished with a children-symphony of Romberg, which was performed with the greatest exactitude. Being as yet under the impression of this feast, we feel obliged to praise the merits of two gentlemen for the pleasure of this evening, Mr. Leifferd, chief of the house of Fels, Leifferd, and Co., who, with the greatest taste, had ordered and conducted in person the arrangements of the whole theatre, and Mr. Seeger, the director of the German Singing Club, "Ferohsinn," who, in his known masterly manner, had the performances studied, and conducted them.

We close this report, with the sincere hope that a repetition of this entertainment, with the addition of a philanthropic object, may take place, and that the efforts of the Sing Club "Ferohsinn," which have been animated until now by such a spirit of concord, will give rise to the same social entertainment as already exists amongst our friends in Buenos Ayres, with whom we had the pleasure to spend already many agreeable evenings.

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

Of the few useful publications which have been lately issued in B. Ayres is that we have now in view. Many attempts have been made to propagate in the country the study of phonography, but hitherto with little success, though no one will deny its utility, if not absolute necessity. According to the present state of things, the minutes of our Chambers can hardly be produced with that exactitude which is found elsewhere. The system of phonography is here almost unknown, nor are persons inclined to follow the study from the imaginary difficulty of its acquirement; but we trust the present system of Mr. Parody, published in the form of the common copy slips, will overcome the repugnance that youths had to follow it. Above all we recommend its adoption in the Municipal schools; it might open to many a poor lad a splendid career.

AMATEUR THEATRICALS.

We hear our Thespian merchants and brokers are working busily at the *Critic*, and two of them have undertaken to close the performance with the laughable *Two in the Morning* scene, so celebrated in the hands of Mathews and Harley. There is a mystery we cannot penetrate about the fair ladies who are to act, but our gallantry checks our curiosity. We shall publish the programme to-morrow. Tickets will be distributed by the Messrs. Mackern.

CAMP POLICE AND FIGURES.

(Continued.)

To the Editors of the 'Standard.'

Gentlemen,

In my last letter, I described the principal occupation of the titled police force, let us now see how the untitled part of that august body are occupied; it must be remembered that I speak in general terms, there are exceptions to this as to all rules:—The 684 policemen paid by Government will give an average, without fractional parts of a policeman, of 12 men to each partido: some partidos are allowed by law 10 men, some 12, some 14, two partidos are allowed 18, and one partido only 6; the nearest average is 12. In some partidos (I cannot say how many) two or three of these have been dismissed, and their pay given to an alcalde. Of the remaining nine, one is in care of the horses, another is generally kept at indoor work in the juzgado, such as serving 'máte;' a third, is necessary for sundry messages, such as buying cigars, going to call a neighbour to witness a document; a fourth, is always in attendance as the judge's orderly; a fifth, is on the look-out for those who infringe police edicts, such as allowing a horse to stand on the side-walk; the secret of this watchfulness is the fine. From this statement, it is plainly seen there only remains an average of four policemen to each partido, for real or effective police duty. They may be seen loitering at the village pulperias, or if there is any jobbing going on, for which high pay is given, such as parting cattle; they may be seen at such jobs, and not unfrequently in full uniform. They obtain permission without any trouble, and, if they fall in with a long job that would occupy their time for a month or so they leave a substitute in their place. If we take into consideration the class which forms the material of our police, together with the way the police machinery is worked, we cannot feel surprised at the sway of robbers &c. The men get no general instructions as to their duty, no moral, civil or military training; they have no catechism of any kind to guide them through a dilemma: instinct is their prompter, and the sabre the ready unraveller of all gordian knots. Although we frequently hear of cruel acts committed by the police of the city, I must say that there is as much difference between the city and camp police as there is between the members of the Buenos Ayrean Literary Club and the vagrant gaucho club; and I may add, that the hatred the latter bear even their own countrymenn of the former is beyond conception: a thorough gaucho would be puzzled to tell, whether he hates an educated native gentleman more than a gringo or whether he hates either less than the d—l.

With the number of police now employed if well managed, the country would be as free from ruffians as any country; but to arrive at this, the working system should be entirely altered, they should be well trained, have printed instructions directing how to act in all possible events, act in concert, but completely independent of the Justices of Peace; and above all things neither men nor officers should be allowed a fixed station; if they are, adieu to improvement. By changing them from one town to another repeatedly, the great evil of which we all complain would be struck at the root. Strike Mr. Minister; spare not the hatchet, and you will rescue your country from the hands of robbers, &c. DICK.

DR. FERREYRA AND BRAZIL.

Certain friends of the Oriental revolution essay in vain to justify their conduct in presence of the Brazilian aggression. Their defence is lame, and at variance with the facts.

Dr. Ferreyra has rushed into print, in this city, with a political profession of faith. He pretends, by declaring himself "a Colorado whose convictions have been formed in the revolutionary school," to save himself from all responsibility in the emergency of his country with Brazil: this is a mistake, to my idea.

The Brazilian claims refer to events under the administration of both factions, and the foreign aggression affects the whole Oriental nation at large, bringing with it humiliation and ignominy for Blancos as well as Colorados, since the country includes both.

Dr. Ferreyra boasts that the revolution has spread like lightning, and here he is unfortunately right. The neighbouring republic has been devastated and plundered, the spade falls from the hands of the laborer, and in every valley and hill-side we find ruined huts, and flocks without a shepherd.

Meantime the Doctor denies any factions tendencies, and to avoid the Brazilian difficulty he makes a leap as fatal as that of Sappho from the rock of Leucadia.

He admits that an Ultimatum is *an energetic measure*, but doubts that it is a danger to his nationality. Let us understand each other, Dr. Ferreyra, if you please. Now, it is Brazil and not the Republic which has refused arbitration or delay.

You challenge us to cite a single circumstance showing intentions of conquest on the part of the Empire. It would be rather long here to enter into such a point, but it may suffice for you to take up the map of Banda Oriental, and see how the frontiers of your country have for some years been contracting, and I would remind you that Sor. Saraiva admits having sent orders to his army and navy to invade Oriental territory.

The light of your imagination is to my mind the bivouac fire of the invading army; the spark of Liberty, which you fancy is come to regenerate, seems to me the flash of hostile artillery, and if you can remain still an indifferent spectator, I must believe there is something beneath the surface which I cannot perceive, and dare not guess at.

If you are ready to fulfil those promises you made for the hour of danger, shoulder your musket, and join the

ranks of your brethren; for, what is life without a country, or a country without Independence.

COLUMBIA.

UNFORTUNATE ACCIDENT.

On Thursday evening two sailors, belonging to an English brig, left the Mole about half-past seven for their ship. It is said they were intoxicated: the poor fellows had not gone far when a gale of wind caught the boat, and she capsized. One of them was drowned, the other had his arm broken.

SHOCKING CASE.

Last week, a poor man residing near the Plaza Once fell in a fit, in the street, and a policeman coming up insisted he was drunk, because unable to speak. The unfortunate old man was kept four days and nights in solitary confinement, and at length released on payment of 20$ m/c. Has this victim no remedy, but a suit in the Federal Court?

PEOPLE'S PARK AT PALERMO.

The 'Nacional' publishes the official contract between Mr. Eugene Paris and the Municipality of Belgrano, whereby the former takes all the parks and grounds of Palermo (not including the palace) for a term of ten years, at 1,000 silver dollars per annum. Mr. Paris, who has got up the Jardin de Récreo of Valparaiso intends converting those waste grounds into a place like Hyde Park, suitable for exhibitions, cattle-shows, &c., with coffee-house, cricket-ground, bowling-alleys, and all convenience for public amusement. A capital of 1½ or 2 millions is requisite, to be raised in shares, and full permission for planting, cutting down, making walks, &c., is given, on condition that all fixtures remain to the Municipality at the end of the *ten years*. Part of the grounds will be open to the public; on foot or in carriage the other part will be charged five depreciated paper dollars for entrance.

CONGRESS.

DUTY ON PAPER ABOLISHED.

The new Customs Law for 1865 was laid before the Deputies yesterday, the Committee advising its adoption, with the only change from last year of abolishing the duties on books, printing materials, and paper. Don Adolfo Alsina opposed the amendment of the Committee, but it was triumphantly carried, and the Customs Law passed as for 1864 in all other respects,

It remains to be sent to the Senate, but we have every hope that the oppressive duty on public instruction, so injurious to a young country, will be repealed also in the Upper Chamber.

FLORES IN MONTEVIDEO.

THE WAR TERMINATED.

Private letters to high official personages, per Araguahi, from Montevideo, inform us that President Aguirre has made terms with General Flores, as follows:—

1st. Flores becomes Minister of War.

2nd. President Aguirre remains in office.

3rd. General (rebel) Caraballo is Comandante de Campaña.

4th. The sum of $600,000 (silver); given to Flores, for expenses of the war.

5th. Sr. Requena to have a portfolio in the Cabinet.

This news was kept very secret till after Rolsa closing hour, and it is said some influential parties made a handsome thing of it: this also accounts for the great fall in specie.

LOCAL EVENTS.

Privateers—The 'Reforma' talks about six privateers to be fitted out in the United States, by Oriental and foreign merchants of Montevideo, for reprisals against Brazil.

Corrientes—The mails per Esmeralda, from this province, are due to-day: no cotton coming down.

Paper-mill—The Congress report, the other day, was somehow incorrect. The Chamber of Deputies *has* sanctioned Mr. Perkins's concession of a patent (12 years) for making paper.

Pension.—The Provincial Chambers of Buenos Ayres have awarded 1,000$ per month to the mother and youngest brother of the late Captain Charles Meyer, killed in the Chaco campaign. Apropos, we have never heard the fate of Major Meyer, (brother to the above), who went to fight in the United States, until President Mitre should descend from power.

Cannonade—The Brazilian war-steamer Araguayhi brings news of a brisk cannonade going on at Santa Lucia when she left Montevideo. We shall know all to-day, per Tavere.

Blockade of Paysandu.—It is said that three Brazilian war-steamers are about to anchor in front of Paysandu.

New Bridge.—The 'Nacional' says that Government has received a petition from the district of Moreno, with plans, &c., for construction of an iron bridge 40 yards long across the Rio Conchas: the estimated cost is 180,000$.

Der Freischutz—This opera will shortly be produced in Colon.

Oriental War—We read that a whale-boat has brought news of an engagement between a rebel force under Tolosa and General Laguna's division, in which the latter officer was killed.

ON 'CHANGE.

August 26, 1864.

Paper price of ounces $449½.
Do. sovereigns $137½.

The specie market was very weak to-day. Everyone was selling. Patacons opened at 28 20, but immediately dropped to 28 15, and finally closed at 28 10.

Cash sales, 34,920.

TIME SALES.

For Wednesday,	139,400	28 10
Saturday,	50,100	28 10
Sept. 30,	30,000	27 95
" 3,	1,000	28 15
" 24,	2,000	28 —
" 25,	5,000	28 —
" 3,	1,000	28 10
Month of Sept.,	2,000	28 10

Total sales, 268,420.

Owing to the funeral of Sr. Arango, the fashionable merchants and brokers left the Bolsa early to-day. We learn on good authority that the National Government has determined to burn no more paper money until the Provincial Government decides the paper money question.

A sale of five thousand patacons, deliverable between September 1st and December 31st, was made at 28.20.

Messrs. H. A. Green & Co. have placed the 'Zingara' on the berth to load for Liverpool at current rates.

PRODUCE SALES.

130 dry cowhides, camp		$106
150 do	do	105 110
200 do	do	105
100 do	do	100
150 doz. sheepskins, matadero		260
200 do	do	200
200 do	do	180
300 do	do	160
50 arr. hair, South		125
30 do	North	118
100 fan. wheat, superior		220
270 do	do good	114
200 do	do regular	205
2000 ox hides, narrow		49 sals
1000 cow hides		40
6300 carpinchos		3
1000 arr. hair		32 32½

50 pipes of mares' grease at reserved prices.

VESSELS CLEARED.

24th.

British brig Zamberge, for Reaman, by Green and Co., with 3230 quintals of jerked beef, 30 dry horsehides. Geronimo Rocca (shipper.)

25th.

Brazilian brig California, for Brazil, by Guimaraens, 1112 quintals jerked beef, 1 box merchandise. W. A. Guimaraens and Co., J. P. de Rocha (shippers.)

26th.

Brazilian brig Crucciro do Sud, for Brazil, by Guimaraens, with 4500 quintals jerked beef, 50 dry ox and cowhides. A. M. Mendoza (shipper.)

English barque William Harper, for Antwerp, by Green and Co., with 5715 salted ox and cowhides; 2500 dry do. do.; 500 do horse do; 221 bales wool; 200 bordaleses of tallow; 85 pipes of tallow; 60,000 horns; 70 fanegas of salt. Woekstated, Bunge, Mendez, Peltzer, G. N. de and Mot, Benberg, Bieber, Hutz, Bannerman, Casares, Jolly and Mallerhg (shippers.)

COLON THEATRE

ITALIAN OPERA COMPANY.
Last performance of the season.
ON SUNDAY, 28TH AUGUST,
LUCIA.
At Eight o'Clock.

Théatre Franco-Argentin.

BOUFFES PARISIENS.

Sous la direction de Mr. D'HOTE.
Dimanche 28 *Aout* 1864.
troisieme. Representation du 2eme. abonnement.
PASCAL ET CHAMBORD.
Comédie en deux actes, mélée de chant par MMrs. Anicet Bourgeois et Brissebarre.
LE CAFE LYRIQUE.
Chansonnett comique par Mr. D'HOTE.
2eme. Representation de
LES 66.
Operette en un acte, Musique D'Offenbach. A ½ heures 1/2.

AUCTION,

BY BALCARCE AND AYRES,
OF HOUSE-PROPERTY & FURNITURE.

Situate at 228 Calle Parque, between Artes and Suipacha, by order of the owner who is about to leave the country.

On Thursday Sept. 1st, at 11 a.m. will be sold for cash and to highest bidder, all the furniture, as follows:

Parlor: a perpendicular mahogany piano, a sofa and dozen chairs of Hamburg make, an oblong marble table, carpet, time-piece, vases, 2 mirrors 5 feet high, cushions, ornaments. &c.

1st Bedchamber.—Mahogany bedstead, wardrobe, commode, basin, &c.

2nd do.—brass bedstead, chairs, toilet, carpet, &c.

Dining-room—Dining-table, chairs, sideboard, glass and delft-ware for 18 persons, Spanish wines in boxes, and other matters.

Various rooms—beds, chairs, toilets, tables, matting, pictures, and pegs.

Garden—A fine Cape jessamine and other plants.

Afterwards at 2 p.m. for the convenience of merchants, &c., will be sold the fine house and site, to be knocked down at 5 o'clock to the highest bidder.

The house stands on 8¾ yards front N. side, and 56 deep, having 8 rooms, 2 court-yards, out-offices, garden and fruit trees. No bid will be taken under 180,000$ depreciated currency.

Please don't forget the hour.

a27, 3p

REMATE

BY CARLOS RISTORINI.
DE MUEBLES ALEMANES,
En la Casa particular del Señor D. Guillermo Treusein,
CALLE RIVADAVIA, N. 145,
Entre Florida y Maypu,

El Lúnes 29 de Agosto á las 11 en punto Principiara el remate, á la mas alta postura y dinero de contado, de todo el menaje de dicha casa, cuyo pormenor es como sigue.

SALON—Un magnifico piano horizontal nuevo de caobo de la afamada fábrica de 'Baumgaretten y Heins,' uno id de jacarandá rico de poco uso, un lindo sofá de caoba y crin, 12 ricas sillas de caoba talladas y esterilla, dos sillas de brazos id, un sillon de amaca forrado de marroquin, un silloncito de caoba de niño, dos elegantes mesas de caoba para juego, dos ricas mesas de arrimo de jacaranda, una mesa de sala del centro con piedra, mesitas de caoba, cortinados con sus galerias, dos relojes de sobremesa de bronce, un hermoso espejo con marco dorado, rinconeras, un gran cuadro panorama de 'Hamburgo, un retrato de 'Thalberg,' uno id de 'Malavassi,' dos cuadros finos de la Virgen y varios otros de mérito, mecheros de platina, candeleros, un zahumador de la China, adornos de porcelaná, un muy rico costurero de jacarandá, alfombrado, etc.

DORMITORIOS—Dos lindas camas de caoba alemanas para una persona con colchones de cerda, dos grandes lavatorios de caoba, una cama pintada, una cuna de caoba, un hermoso ropero de caoba, uno id de jacarandá, uno de caoba de vidrieras, una mesa de noche, un sofá usado, dos cómodas de caoba, esterados, una estufa, varios cuadros buenos, sillas de esterilla, etc.

COMEDOR—Un hermoso aparador de caoba de tres cuerpos, un gran mesa de caobo sólida para veinte personas, un juego de mesa de porcelana dorada, cristales muy finos; ropa de mesa, un armario, rinconeras de caoba, un filtro.

VINOS FINOS—Del Rhin, de Burdeos y de Jerez.

COCINA—Un bateria de cocina de cobre y demas útiles.

PATIOS—Muchas plantas de mérito entre estas varios jasmines del cabo, tinas, bancos, cajones, varias lámparas, tres palomares con palomas catalanas de la casta grande, una estufa, etc.

EN LOS ALMACENES—Varios escritorios, estantes anchos para efectos, muelias tablas, mesas para muestras, esteras, varanda de escritorio y otros muchos objetos que estarán á la vista.

El remate principiará á las 11 en punto.

NOTE.—Cárlos Ristorini avisa haber trasladado su escritorio á la Calle de Tacuari No. 53, entre Victorio y Potosi.

ANCTIONS BY CARLOS RISTORINI.

On to-morrow, Sunday, at noon, in San José de Flores, a first-rate site for a country house, situate three squares south of the church, containing 50 yards by 70 — the corner of a block.

On Monday, 29th, at 11 a. m., all the furniture and fixtures of Mr. William Treusein's residence, 145 Rivadavia, between Florida and Maypú.

NOTE.—Mr. Carlos Ristorini has removed his office from 369 Rividavia to 53 Tacuari. 2p, A27.

MRS. J. J. CURTIS,

Professor of the Pianoforte and Singing, begs to inform her friends and pupils that she has removed to 79, Calle Tucuman, where all professional engagements may be made. 3p. A27.

INVENTORY
OF THE
REMEDIOS ESTANCIA,

LOT A.

Extent.—599.01 cuadras, with 7,700 yards of (4) wire fencing and ditch.

Two Brick Houses—one of three rooms, straw roof, the other of two rooms and azotea roof.

Three Corrals of pine and wire, with corresponding chiqueros.

A Peach and Paradise Grove—2½ squares in extent, all fenced.

LOT B.

Extent—173.9 cuadras, with 4,500 yards fencing as above.

Two Brick Houses—one of two rooms, azotea roof, the other with one room and straw roof.

Two Corrals—with chiqueros of pine and wire.

LOT C.

1 Brick House, with twenty handsome rooms, some papered and boarded; new roof, lofts, etc.

1 Brick House, 16 yards long, with 2 rooms and loft, azotea roof and corridor.

1 Brick House, for peons, kitchen, sleeping-room 12 yards long; zinc roof.

1 Wooden House, with shingle roof, for a shepherd.

1 Shed, or galpon, of brick and hard wood, 25 yards long, iron and shingle roof, brick floor.

1 Wooden Shed, with zinc roof, stable, and two rooms.

1 Wooden Shed, 40 yards by 16; Russian pine.

6 Sheep Corrals of timber and wire, with chiqueros.

1 Cattle Corral, with over 600 ñandubay posts and wire, one cuadra in extent.

1 Horse Corral of ñandubay and wire.

1 Quinta, with 10 cuadras of plantation, peach, apple, pear, vine, acacia, paradise, poplar and other trees, the whole fenced and ditched.

1 Pigeon-House, with 1,000 pigeon holes.

1 Potrero, eight cuadras by two, of alfalfa and oats, all fenced and ditched.

2 Gardens of vegetables, with two pilefas.

1 Flower-Garden, with choice plants and flowers; casuarinas, eucaliptus, aguaribay, acacias, tilos, and a hot-house with iron frame work.

2 Potreros, or meadows, with 10 cuadras alfalfa, etc. Extent of Lot C, 293 cuadras.

LOT D.

Extent—125.57 cuadras, with 4,500 yards of fencing.

One Brick House—with azotea roof.

Two Sheep Corrals.

LOT E.

Extent—549.84 cuadras, with 4,500 yards of fencing.

Six Brick Huts—three of two rooms each, and three of one room, azotea, shingle and straw roofs.

Six Sheep-Corrals with chiqueros.

LOT F.

Extent—517.6 cuadras, with 18,000 yards of fence, iron posts and ñandubay.

One Brick House, shingle roof, five rooms, two garrets, papered and painted.

Four Brick Houses, azotea, with two rooms and kitchen each.

One Wooden House, with zinc roof.

Three Sheds, Russian Pine; one 90 yards by 16, another 45 by 16; a third, 20 by 12.

Eleven Sheep Corrals, of wire and timber.

Two Meadows, with 20 cuadras of alfalfa, fenced in.

One Quinta of peach, paradise and other trees: also troughs, wells, etc.

NOTE.—Lots A, B, C, & D to be sold in one: E & F in another.

REQUIRED IMMEDIATELY,

A good Cook for the British steamer "Una," Captain Batty. None need apply who cannot produce a certificate of good conduct and competency. For further particulars apply to George Kean, No. 39 Paseo de Julio.

a26, 3p

WANTED.

A respectable intelligent English youth who can write a good hand, and who has sufficient knowledge of Spanish to be able to copy accounts in that language, may meet with temporary employment by applying at the office, No. 1 Calle Cuyo. a27, 3p

WANTED

A Boy for a Haberdashery shop. Apply between half-past four and five o'clock at Calle Florida, No 21.

a27, 3p

FOR LIVERPOOL DIRECT,

The British barque "JOHN RITSON," now loading, and will sail about the end of September; has accommodation for a few passengers, cabin or steerage. For particulars apply at 151 Moreno,

GEORGE BELL & SON,
or to the Captain,
o27, 10p 52 Calle 25 de Mayo.

To Estancieros and Gardners.

Alfalfa seed of the best kind in the country, at $5 per ar.

114 Calle Defensa. a 26, 3 p

FOR SALE.

Five Thousand first-rate Mestiza Sheep in the Partido of Chascomus; three thousand same class in the Magdalena, with or without wool. The owner of the camp upon which these sheep now are will also make an arrangement with the buyers, either to keep them on halves paying all expenses, or to rent the puestas for five years. The camp is of the very best in the province, and the price reasonable.

For further particulars please apply at No. 173 Calle Piedras, at any hour of the day, excepting from One to Four p.m.

WELLS, BECKHAUS, & CO.

1 m d & w, a 26.

ON SALE,

For liquidation of affairs, a beautiful flock of fine Sheep for breeding of Rams, from the Rambouillet and Negrette race, which have been sold at $500 each.

For particulars apply at Billinghurst and Seeber, Maipú, No. 14.

15 p, d & w, a 26.

NOTICE.

The Steam Laundry Company carried on in Barracas, hitherto existing under the firm of Melvin and Carmichael, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

The business hereafter will be carried on by Mr Carmichael on his own account, who will receive and pay all debts belonging to said establishment.

JOHN MELVIN.
ROBERT CARMICHAEL.

3 p a 26

MR. ANACLETO FERRER

Has removed his office from 290 Calle Venezuela to 332 Calle Mejico.

FIRE BRICKS FOR SALE.

Nine Thousand to arrive. Apply at 17 Florida. 3 p a 26

Just received Direct,

A varied and splendid assortment of Goods, suitable for the winter season, extra heavy and sound, comprising 8-4, 9-4, 10-4, 11-4, and 12-4 blankets; sheetings and quilts, 4-4, 6-4, and 8-4: all wool plaids, plain and striped linseys, heavy French cashmere, 4-4 Orleans, first-class 4-4 fronting linen and 11-4 linen sheeting, direct from Belfast, &c.

Lambs' wool vests, drawers and stockings cotton, do. do.

Boys, youths, and mens' woollen and cotton hosiery, Crimean shirts, &c. &c.

Also, pilot jackets and suits, boys and youths' do., heavy cord and mole pants, lined cheek shirts, white Holland shirts with linen fronts, and wrists every size, &c, with many other articles too numerous to mention.

T. FALLON,
HIBERNIAN HOUSE,
64, 66 and 68 CALLE PIEDAD.

JOHN KEMSLEY,

140—CALLE PARQUE—140.
Public and Official Translator,
Land Agent.

Orders from England promptly attended to. m 8 x.

On sale in the partido of Las Flores squatters' right to 3 leagues of good camp for sheep. Linderos Messrs. Portugues, Goya and Casares.

In the partido of Tandil, 58 leagues from Buenos Ayres, one league, linderos Messrs. Ivaola, pays $6,000 per annum rent to the Government.

In property seventeen leagues in Cordoba, embracing the railway on both sides. This land is at present stocked with cattle and mules and has over 100,000 bricks on the spot ready for building wells, houses, corrals, &c

For Cañuelas, Monte, and Las Flores.

Mensagerias Nuevas de la Portena.
Correo del Estado.

Office—Rivadavia 441 and 443.

From Buenos Ayres for Las Flores 2, 5, 8, 11, 14, 17, 20, 23, 26, 29 of each month.

From Flores for Buenos Ayres, 2, 5, 8, 11, 14, 17, 20, 23, 26, 29 of each month.

Luggage and encomiendas are received up till 4 p m. of the day previous to starting. MIGUEL M. LUPO.

Great Reduction

STREET-VIEWS AT 30$.

Luigi Bartoli has a large collection of views of Buenos Ayres, its streets, suburbs &c. at 30 dols. Recoba nueva, Plaza Victoria. 2 m J.

ENGLISH DRAPERY ESTABLISHMENT.

E. J. HASTLER

NEW GOODS

Received monthly and semi-monthly.
London, made BOOTS and SHOES in great variety.

61 CORRIENTES 61

SAVINGS BANK.

BANK MAUA & CO.,

No. 103 Calle de Cangallo,

BUENOS AYRES.

The immense advantages of Accounts Current are now so generally felt and appreciated in the two great emporiums of the River Plate, Montevideo and Buenos Ayres, that there are very few Merchants who fail to keep one at the bank in which they place the most confidence.

The Bank of Mauá and Co. in Montevideo has already provided for the working classes in that city a safe and profitable depositary for their savings.

The sums deposited in that most important institution are daily increasing, and already reach a very large amount.

These advantages have not hitherto been enjoyed in this city by an immense number of clerks, artisans, working men, and servants of all classes and conditions, who are equally interested in putting their savings out at interest, thus providing themselves with a reserve fund in case of need, sickness, or old age, instead of spending them in the immoral gambling, in lotteries, and other frivolities.

The Bank of Mauá and Co. of this city, following the noble example of their firm in Montevideo, now offer the same facilities in this city, and will open a Savings Bank at No. 103 Calle Cangallo, from Nine a.m. till Three p.m. on Week Days, and on Sundays and Holidays from Ten a.m. to Twelve m., for the reception of the savings of the classes already mentioned.

The Bank will deliver to each depositor a pass book, in which will be entered the amount deposited and withdrawn.

The depositor is permitted at any time to withdraw the whole or part of the sum deposited; in the former case the interest will be calculated up to date.

The Bank of Mauá and Co. is sufficiently known to the Public by the benefit derived from the course of its operations, which are regulated on the strictest and soundest principles, and always directed to promote the general welfare.

The Bank of Mauá and Co. are also persuaded that this new branch of their business will render immense service to the working classes of Buenos Ayres and its neighbourhood.

Buenos Ayres, September 19, 1863.

P p. Mauá and Co.
WILLIAM LESLIE

CONDITIONS.

First—The Bank receives at interest any sum from Twenty-five Dollars currency Silver Dollar upwards.

Second—The interest allowed is six per cent. (6 p ☰) per annum, which is liquidated every six months.

Third—The depositors can at any time retire the whole or part of the money deposited.

Fourth—Once the money deposited exceeds twenty-five thousand dollars currency, or one thousand dollars silver, the depositor, if he wishes, can open an account current, according to the rules established by the Bank.

Fifth—In case the depositor loses his pass book, it can be replaced by another on paying twelve dollars currency, and advertising the loss in the public newspapers.

MENSAGERIAS Y CORREOS NACIONALES INICIADORES.

127—CALLE 25 DE MAYO—127.

Through Tickets given to all parts of the Upper Provinces and also to Chile and Bolivia. Parcels of all kinds, including remittance of money or valuable articles, despatched in like manner with the greatest safety.

Leaves Rosario for Mendoza, San Juan, and Chile every Tuesday.

Leaves Rosario for Cordoba every Tuesday and Saturday.

Leaves Rosario for Santiago, Tucuman, Salta, Jujuy, and Bolivia every Saturday.

Leaves Rosario for Catamarca every Tuesday.

Leaves Cordoba for Rio Cuarto every Wednesday, in conjunction with the Rosario Coach for San Luis, Mendoza, San Juan, and the Pacific.

The Office is open on all week days from 9 to 7, and on the evening preceding the sailing of the Pavon until 10 p.m., for receiving parcels &c. Any parcel delivered on the day of sailing of the Pavon will be detained till the following week. On Sundays and Holidays the Office will be open until Noon.

SEWING MACHINES

CALLE PERU, 47

A large assortment of improved Chain and Lock Stitch Sewing Machines from the most celebrated Manufacturers.

These Machines stitch, hem, bind, fell, run, braid, embroider, and gather, without basting; sew equally well on all kinds of cloth, and are specially recommended for family use.

THOMAS H. BELL,

No. 47 CALLE PERU

PROGRAMME

OF THE

MUSICAL AND DRAMATIC RECITAL,

Which will take place on Monday evening, 29th inst., at 8½ o'clock, in the Concert Room of the Colon Theatre.

PART I.

Overture.....	
Ballad, Mary of Argyle...	Nelson.
Scenes from Merchant of Venice.....	Shakspeare.
Grand Duo for Violin & Piano; Soro & Fabiani.	DeBeriot.

PART II.

Grand Fantasia with variations for Violin & Piano; "Il Trovatore".....	Verdi.
Ballad, "Thou art so near, and yet so far".....	Reichardt.
Recitation, "The Raven".	Poe.
Ballad, "Good-bye, Sweetheart, good-bye.....	

Tickets to be had of Messrs. Mackern, Manager of Foreign Club, and of Mr. Cranwell, Chemist, Calle de la Reconquista.

Buenos Ayres, 18 August, 1864.

A LOS ESTANCIEROS.

Cercos de hierro para rodeos, potreros, corrales, chacras etc.

Corrales portátilas con postes de hierro y tablas.

Mojones de hierro.

Bebederos de hierro para ovejas, hacienda vacuna y caballar.

Piletas de hiero batido y de hierro fundido para construcciones.

Maquinas de estirar alambre.

Maquinas de cortar cardos, abrojos, y cepas de caballo; con esta maquinas los Señores Estancieros pueden limpiar sus campos en pocas horas.

Maquinas de sacar agua de los jagüeles funcionando sin caballo, basta con un niño de diez ó doce años para sacar una pipa de agua en dos minutos, se arma y se desarma en poco tiempo y se trasporte con facilidad.

En la fabrica de
VAN DE VELDE Hermanos.
B. Ayres, Calle Buen Orden No. 245.

WANTED

A Lad from 14 to 16 years of age, who can speak English, to serve his time to the printing business, in this office

NEW GOODS,

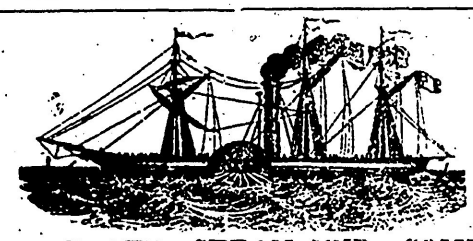
The English Drapery Establishment of Buenos Ayres.

49 & 51—CALLE DEFENSA—49 & 51.

GALBRAITH & HUNTER,

Beg to intimate that they have just received a large assortment of
Ladies' White and Colored French Kid Gloves, best quality;
Ladies White Cambric Handkerchiefs, all classes;
Linen Damask Table Cloths and Napkins,
Real Welch Flannels,
9-4 10-4, 11-4, and 12-4 Blankets;
White Shirtings, Huck Towellings, Pilot Jackets, Stripe Shirts, best quality; White Dress Shirts, Collars, Ties, Scarfs, &c.
Also a lot of heavy Scotch Tweeds very much under present value

49 & 51—CALLE DEFENSA—49 & 51.



RIVER PLATE STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.

LIVERPOOL AND RIVER PLATE DIRECT.

NAMES OF STEAMERS.

LA PLATA,
PARANA, PARAGUAY,
URUGUAY, UNA.

One of these Steamers will leave Liverpool for Montevideo and Buenos Ayres on the 1st of each month.

Cargo will be received on board of the steamers 48 hours after their arrival, to be delivered in any part of the United Kingdom, or on the Continent, being forwarded by railway and steamer for account of the Company, the bills of lading being signed with these conditions.

As the object of the Company is to extend and facilitate the existing traffic between Europe and the River Plate, the rates of freight will be very moderate.

Specie and Parcels will be received until the day before the steamers leave.

The steamer "UNA," now in port, will sail hence on Monday 5th September at 4 p.m. She has a fine large cabin on deck, capable of accommodating 30 first-class passengers, to whom Captain Batty guarantees his usual liberal treatment. The vessel carries an experienced stewardess.

In order to facilitate immigration to these countries the rates have been reduced as follows—

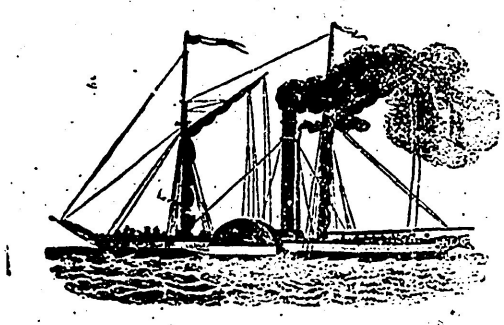
1st Class.....	£35.
2nd "	£25.
3rd "	£16.

Return Tickets will be issued for six months at the following rates—

1st Class.....	£65.
2nd "	£45.
3rd "	£70.

These boats are excellent opportunities for families visiting Europe, more especially when consisting of Ladies and Children, having large ladies' cabin, and carrying an experienced stewardess.

Apply to HENRY A. GREEN & CO., AGENTS,
85 RECONQUISTA.



LIVERPOOL, BRAZIL, AND RIVER PLATE STEAMERS.

The following Screw Steamers will be despatched at monthly intervals from Buenos Ayres for Rio de Janiero, Bahia, Lisbon, and LIVERPOOL, (calling at Montevideo):—

	Tons Register.	Captain.	To Sail.
GALILEO, ..	1525	Russell, about	8th September.
KEPLER ..	1499	Bussell "	8th October.
COPERNICUS ..	1371	Godsoe "	8th November.
HERSCHEL ..	1525	Bogart "	December.
NEWTON ..	1171	—	To follow.
PTOLEMY ..	1171	—	To follow.

The GALILEO is shortly expected in this port, and cargo will be taken (by special agreement) if not previously full, up to and including the day previous to date of sailing.

Cargo for intermediate ports must have the destination distinctly marked on every package.

These Steamers have excellent accommodation for Saloon and Forward Passengers.

Apply to the Owners' Agents, Messrs. Darbyshire and Co., or to
JOHN P. BOYD & CO.,
15 p a 18 Calle San Martin, No. 56.

THE BRITISH AND FOREIGN
CHINA, EARTHENWARE, AND GLASS STORE,

57—DEFENSA—57

Just opened to the Public. The largest Stock in town. Earthenware Goods of all descriptions. An immense variety of Glass Goods. English, French, and German China Articles.

Table Sets, Toilet Sets, Tea Sets, Coffee Sets.
Low Prices—Fixed Prices.
Terms—Cash.

WILLIAM FERGUSON AND CO.,
57—DEFENSA—57.
(Corner of Potosi)

N.B.—The Stock will be shortly increased by arrivals from Europe. j13

Fire.

COMMERCIAL ASSURANCE COMPANY.
Capital—£2,500,000 fully subscribed.
Agents for Buenos Ayes and the River Plate,
BRANDT SOHN, and CO.,
Calle de la Piedad, 208.
J1. 1m

To English Travellers.

Englishmen, and others visiting Buenos Ayres, will find every home comfort at the Hotel de la Paix, which is the largest and best Hotel in this city.

Charges are most moderate.
Wines superb
Table d'Hote on European style.
Board, with room, gas-lights, and attendance, from 5s. to 10s. per day.
HOTEL DE LA PAIX,
(Corner of Calle Cangallo and Calle Reconquista.)
J 26.

John Gentles,

WATCHMAKER;
At Urie & Muir's, 162 Calle de la Defensa. 1m,A4

A Card.

J. W. GOODMAN, Maestro Mayor, approved City Surveyor, begs leave to inform his friends that he has removed his office from Calle Tacuari to his house 404 Calle Cangallo, where he still continues to appraise houses and lands; collect rents, and as usual houses inspected. a 2, 1 m

Good Camp

To be rented, five leagues of excellent land, situate in the Partido of Pila.

For particulars, apply at 180, Calle Florida.

LIFE ASSURANCE.

The North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.
Established 1809.
Capital £2,000,000

The undersigned, Agents for this Company are now authorised to receive applications for *Life Assurance*, on the same terms as charged in the United Kingdom.

Prospectuses and all necessary information will be furnished on application
Bates Stokes & Co.
55—Maypu—55.

Fire Insurance Policies granted on almost every description of property at the "reduced tariff" rates.

j 29 m.

Notice.

The undersigned, Sole Agents in this city for the sale of the celebrated Brandy marked "JULES ROBIN & Co." hereby caution the public that a spurious article in imitation of the genuine is now being offered on sale, the bottles of which are forged with the name of the aforesaid manufacturers, but are easily detected from the deficiency of their name being branded in the corks and ours as sole agents on each bottle.

Buenos Ayres, July 4th, 1864.
JOHN BEST & BROS.
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THE QUEEN FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL—£1,000,000.
Chief Offices,
QUEEN INSURANCE BUILDINGS
LIVERPOOL.
Agents for Buenos Ayres, Montevideo, and the River Plate,
Barbour, Barclay, and Co
CALLE CHACABUCO, 13.
Sept. 20.

Sewing Machines.

A large and varied assortment on hand. Warranted to work well. They are all of the latest and most improved inventions, and of different prices.

JOHN SHAW,
f19 204 Calle Venezuela.

Estancia for Sale.

By order of Dr. Echeveria, Judge of 1a. Instancia, will be sold by auction, on the evenings of the 5th, 6th, and 7th of September in the galleries of the Cabildo, an estancia situate in the partido of Villa Mercedes, containing half a league front by a league in depth, valued at $900,000 per league, and belonging to the late Mr. Cornelius Garaghan.

For further particulars, apply at the office of D. Tulio Mendez.

By order, August 10th
MANUEL GRANADOS.
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